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Macewen, Frickel & Co.

Hongkong, July 20, 1880.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Intimations. MAILS will close:-

Gibraltar.

the Mails, &c.

and Ascension,

Australian Colonies.

0.15 P.M.-Registry ceases.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .-

The British Contract Packet Robilla

will be despatched on MONDAY,

the 6th September, with Mails to and

through the United Kingdom and

Settlements, Batavia, Burmab, Ceylon,

which will be closed as follows :-

0.30 P.M .- Post-Office closes, but Letters

Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies

HOURS OF CLOSING

THE FRENCH MAILS.

The following hours are observed in closing

Mails, &c., by the French Contract

P.M. -- Money Order Office closes.

open out of Office hours.

A.M.—Registry of Letters ceases.

A.M. -Mails closed, except for Late

11.10 A.M.—Letters may be posted with

11.30 A.M. - when the Post Office closes

11.40 a.m.-Late Letters may be posted

Quotations.

OPIUM.-New Patna, cash ... 6321

Hongkong, August 28.

departure.

Late Fee of 10 cents until

A.M. -Post Office opens.

and patterns ceases.

Post Office closes, except the

NIGHT Box, which is always

Posting of all printed matter

on board the packet with Late

Fee of 10 cents until time of

New Benazen, cash, 600 a 6011

New Malwa, credit, 750 a 770

Allowance, Taels ... 8 a 32

Old Malwa, credit,-

Exchange.

4 months' sight, ... 3/9

demand, 2221

80 days' night, ... 73

Shares.

H.K. Firo Ins. Co., \$865 per share, sales.

China Fire Ins. Co., \$240 per sh., sales. H.K. & W. Dock Co., 9 % dis. sales.

Hongkong Gas Co., \$80 per share.

Cosmopolitan Dock, par, nominal.

Temperature.

(Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s Premises

Hongkong, August 28.

BAROMETER- 9 A.M ... 30.002

Do. (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 81

Do. Maximum ... 87

Do. Minimum ovor night. 83

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Shipping.

General Memoranda.

9 p.m.-Meeting of Zetland Lodge.

5 p. m - English Mail leaves for Ports of

1 p.m .- American Mail leaves for Yoko-

SATURDAY, September 11:—
Noon.—Auction of plece or parcel Ground

at Mr J. M. Armstrong's Sales Rooms.

THERMOMETER-9'A.M....

Call and Europe.

date subject to rent.

THURSDAY, September 2:-

Yokohama, do.

Monday, September 6 :-

Call and Europa.

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Thornhill leaves for Shaughal

Queen's Road.)

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H.K. C. M. S.-boat Co., \$22 prem., sales.

Debentures, 3 p.c. prem.

Bank, Wire, 3/88

Demand,

30 days' sight, ...

Documentary, 4 months sight, 8/9

India, Wite, 222

Gold Leaf, 991 fine ... 27.75

Hongkong Bank, 56 % prem., sales.

Shanghal, demand, ...

Sovereigns,

Chinese Ins. Co., \$300 sales.

Credita, 4

until the time of departure.

cannot be sent by this route.

Hongkong, Aug. 23, 1880.

Packet :--

Monday,-

(except for Non-Union Countries) may

be posted on board the Packet with

Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage

(except the Bahamas and Hayti),

Monte Video, Paraguay, and Uruguay

HINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT For HOTHOW AND PAKHOL. LOAN OF 1877.

THE COUPONS falling due 81st of August current of the above LOAN gether with the LONDS DRAWN for Reemption, will be Paid at the Office of this ORPORATION on and after that Date.

For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION, Agenta Leaning the Loan, T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 25, 1880.

FOR HOIHOW AND PAKHOL The Steamship " Ping-on," Capt. McCasLin, will be despatched for the above

Ports on TUESDAY, the Slat Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, August 28, 1880.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship " Thornhill, WALEER, Commander, shortly due from Naga-

SAKI, will be despatched for the above Port, on the 10th Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents. Hongkong, August 28, 1880.

FOR AMOY. The Steamship " Diamante," Captain Cullen, shortly due, will have immediate despatch for the above Port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, August 28, 1880. SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Ang. 27, Alice Buck, American ship, 1426, Saturday,-J. R. Herriman, Hiogo July 15, 20,000 cases Oil - VOGEL & Co.

Aug. 27, Mensalch, Fronch steamer, 1273, Domery, Yokehama Aug. 20, Mails and General.-MERS GERIES MARITIMES. Aug. 28, Oxus, French steamer, 8770 Rapatel, Shanghai Aug. 25, Mails and General. -- MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

Aug. 28, Danube, British steamer, 56L Clanchy, Bangkok Aug. 21, General .-YUEN FAT HONG. Aug. 28, Hermine, German barque, from

Whampos. Aug. 28, Trio, Dutch barque, from Whampoa.

Aug. 28, Lacrtes, British steamer, 1391, Scale, Liverpool July 10, and Singapore Aug. 22, 6 p.m , General.—BUTTERFILLO &

Aug. 28, 5 p.m., Ping-on, American str., 477, A. A. McCaslin, Halphong Aug. 22, 4 p.m., Pakhoi 24, 10 p.m., Hoihow 26, 5.45 a m., and Macao 28, 0.20 p.m., General. - RUSSELL & Co.

Aug. 28, Yettung, British steamer, 286, D. Mollougall, Swatow Aug. 27, General. - Kwok Acheong & Sons.

DEPARTURES. Aug. 28, Glencoe, for Shanghal. 28, Niagara, for Manila. 28, Asia, for Amoy. 28, Chin tung, for Shanghai. 28, Siamese Crown, for Newchwang. 28, Ningpo, for Canton. 28 Esmeralda, for Manila.

28, Killarney, for Foochow. ULEARED. Carricks, for Manila. Alice, for Motupi. Clifton, for Melbourne. Douglas, for Coast Ports.

Bombay, for Swatow. Emma, for Whampoa. Elise, for Newchwang. Kiang-ping, for Macao.

PASSENGERS.

ABBIVED. Per Oxus, from Shanghai : for Hongkong, Messrs A. Fonseca and servant, A. G. Wood and servant, and Parry, and 16 Chinese; for Marseilles, Mr W. W. Clifford. Per Laertes, from Liverpool, &c., Mr and Mrs Falconer, child and Chinese amah, and

146 Chinese. Per Ping-on, from Halphong, &co., Mr 70 Newbury, and 5 Chinese. Por Menzaleh, from Yokohama, 4 Europeaus for Marsoilles. Per Danube, from Bangkok, Mr Bonnie-

14 ville, and 70 Chinese. DEPARTED. . Per Chin tung, for Shanghal, 20 Chinese, Per Glencoe, for Shanghal, 1 Chinese. Per Esmeralda, for Manils, 42 Chinese. Per Killarney, for Foochow, 4 Uhiuese.

> TO DEPART. Per Douglas, for Coast Ports, 100 Chi-Per Bombay, for Swatow, 150 Chinese.

Per Elize, for Newchwang, 1 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Danubs reports Moderate monzoon and fine weather throughout The British steamer Lacries reports Strong S.W. montoon crossing Indian 924 Ocean; from Singapore light airs and warm

The American steamer Ping-on reports: Left Haiphong on the 22nd mat. at 4 p m.; 970 arrived in Pakhoi on 23rd at 10 a.m., left again on 24th at 10 p.m.; arrived in Holhow on 25th at 10.45 a.m., left again on Tursday, August 31:-26th at 5.45 a.m.; ar ived in Macso on 27th 3012 at 11 a.m., left on 28th at 0.20 p.m.; arrived in congkong at 5 p.m. same day. Had light East and S.E. winds with clear weather throughout the passage.

> POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close -

For SWATOW, AMOY, & POOCHOW .-THURSDAY, September 9 :--Per Douglas, at 0.80 am., on Sunday, the 29th inst. For BANGKOK .-FRIDAY, September 10:-Per Dale, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the

For SAIGON .-Per Quinta, at Monday, the

LONDON, 12th June, 1880.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping. 9 a.m. - Douglas leaves for Coast Porta-

Per Ping-on, at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the RELIGIOUS SERVICES :-31st inst. ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL,-Rev. W. Jen-For JAPAN via KOBE .nings, M.A., Colonial Chaplain. Morning Per Sumida Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday, Service 11, Evening 5. Holy Communion the 3rd Sept. every Sunday, except the 2nd and 4th in

MAILS BY THE FRENCE PACKET .-The French Contract Packet Ozus B.A., Military Chaplain. Parade Service the public nature of the institution; and will be despatched on MONDAY, at B A.M. Holy Communion on the second bearing in mind that the Museum, while the 30th August, with Mails to and and fourth Sundays at the conclusion of it was formed by donations and loans through the United Kingdom and the Parade Service. [A Voluntary Service Europe, vid Naples; to Salgon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, P.K.]

India (via Madras), the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and The usual hours will be observed in closing -Rev. Dr. Chalmers.

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S OHUBOH.—Rev. Holy Communion on the first Sunday in the month at 11 A.M. All seats free. Europe vid Brindisi; to the Straits

India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gib-Grandy, and Rev. Lo Sam Yuen, raltar. This is the best opportunity for forwardin : Correspondence to Mau-Prayer:-Litany, Ante-Communion, and ritius, E. Africa, the Cape, St. Helana, munion, 1st Sunday in Chinese month. N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the the German language, by Pastor E. Kiltzke, every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House,

The United States Mail Packet City of West Point Sr. Joseph's Church, Garden Road .- Burdon took part. This basis ran as Peking, will be despatched on THURS. A.M. Mass and Sermon. 6 P.M. Evening follows :--DAY, the 9th September, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United Service, Benediction. States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c.

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香港大藥 A. S. WATSON & Co.,

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PASSENGERS arriving in Hongkong, or any other persons who may desire to consult the files of local, Chins, Japan, American, English, Indian or Australian newspapers, are invited to call at home to vex the souls of Downing the "OHINA MAIL" Office, where over Street. sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies. from these countries, are now filed for reference.

DEATH. At Kobe, on August 17th, at 8.15 a.m., native of Pesaro, Italy, aged 43 years.

The publication of this issue commenced at 9.15 p.m.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, AUGUST 28, 1880. Union Ins. Soc. of O'ton, \$1,400 per s., sales. China Traders' Ins. Co., \$1,400 p. s., ex d. North China Ins. Co., Tls. 1,075 per share. Yangtazo Ins. Assoc., Tis. 720 per share. in the meantime. A member of Parlia-S'hai Steam Nav., Tls. 3 per s. nominal. China Coast St. Nav. Co., Tls. 100 per s. Hongkong Hotel Co., \$68 per share, sales. China Sugar Rouning Co., \$168 per ah. a. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1874, nominal

Queen's Representative; but it expresses all comprehension that the Hon. Mr the feeling that is entertained by the Ryrie. who was previously looked community whose opinions we endeavour upon as the leader of nearly every to represent, and that community is at public movement, should now conthe same time one of the most intelligently loyal communities to be found the side of unpopularity and caprice, anywhere in the British Empire. It is while his friends and former adpolitical life of Hongkong has, since Governor Hennessy's advent, been a Bort of inexhaustible, bubbling, seething, boiling bot-spring. This is clearly the native element of the present Head of the Executive : he is always "in hot Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of water." It has been his misfortune or Goods per Glencos undelivered after this his fault to take a different view, from The next Aussican Mail may be expected here the Community and nearly every one of his officials, upon almost every public question that prose; while many sore points have most gratuitously been raised by His Excellency, as if there 6 p.m. -Ping On leaves for Hollow, &c. were not burning questions enough already in existence. The subject of difference which is now in the minds of residents is probably the most puerils Baturday, September 4:Daylight.-Mitau Bishi Mail leaves for of all. H. E. the Governor-at the

instance, it is now alleged, of the Hon.

Hugh Low-took exception to the notice.

posted up by the City Hall Committee

regarding the admission of visitors to

the City Hall Museum. This notice

was the result of long experience in the

was based upon an imaginary distinction_ having been drawn between the foreign and native residents, and the demand to discontinue the rule was accompanied by a rude threat to withdraw the Government grant of \$1,200 per annum. In view of the fact that the building was erected with money provided by the foreign community-the Government of the time siding the scheme with a grant that Military Service, -Rev. C. Gilbert Booth, might have been expected considering is held in the Garrison Theatre at 7.45 Characters, is now visited by seven Union Church.-Morning Service, at vexatiousness, pettiness and unreason-11 A.M., Afternoon, 5 P.M. - Divine Service ableness of the Governor's interference in Chinese, 2-3 P.M. every Sunday, with may be appraised at its proper value. communion on first Sunday of every month, It is perfectly clear that the original grant made, and the annual sum voted by the local Government, were never Service at 6 P.M. Morning Prayer and intended by the authorities to form any able regulation of the institution by the LONDON MISSION CHAPEL, Queen's Road | Committee. Any one, therefore, having West.-Hongkong Christian Association rend the correspondence reproduced on Service for Seamen, Sunday and Thursday, our 4th page, and having come to the conclusion that the Governor's action is ST. STEPREN'S MISSION CHURCH.-Rev. an unjustifiable and unnecessary in-(All Services in Chinese.) Morning terference with the internal administration of the City Hall, must condemn Sermon, at 11 A.M. Bible Class, at 3 the action of the Governor as arbitrary, P.M. Preaching, at 6.30 P.M. Holy Com- discourteous and vexations. It appears, BERLIN FOUNDLING HOUSE.—Service in public have and the Committee and the promise was suggested to the Committee; and a special meeting was held in which Chief Justice Smale and Hishop

> "The Committee will be ready to meet and associate with them the Bishop and the Chief Justice in order to discuss the questions, (1.) Of smending the existing rules for admission to the Museum if after full discussion amondment is thought necessary, (2.) Whether any departure from the original understanding with the Government as to the conditions of admissions to the public has taken place, -the common basis being that everything will be done that can be done for the common interest of all classes of the community."

His Excellency having agreed to accept this basis, the questions were discussed at the meeting, and new rules were decided upon, a copy of which was forwarded to the Governor. His Excellency, however, did not see fit to adhere to the understanding and accept the decision thus arrived at-" finding apparently [say the Committee] that the decision was not in accordance with his own views on the matter."! This mode of action is probably intended to serve as a model for the Chinese residents; but even they know how to stand by or carry out a bargain when once it is made. The result of this deviation from his pledged understanding on the part of His Excellency is, that the Government and the City Hall Committee are still at war, and the money which ought to have been paid towards the maintenance of this most deserving institution is still locked up in the Colonial Treasury; while the whole "case" goes

It is believed that the Hon. P. Ryrie

was in a minority of one in the matter

of the original rules, although he seems to have cordially acquiesced in the will of the majority when the questions were finally decided with the aid of the NICOLA CARLO NAPOLEONE MANGENI, a Bishop and the Chief Justice. His Excellency, however, acts fully and freely on the principle that it is no good to have friends unless you make use of them; and Mr Ryrie, being a Trustee of the City Hall building, was thereupon played by the Governor against the Committee generally. It will be noticed that the fact that Mr Ryrie was one of the Committee and was bound by the majority, while he was magnified and dragged to the front by the Governor. THOUGHTFUL men who look far into had its drawbacks. The hon, member the future assure as that the struggles might well have felt like a ship in a and vicissitudes of life are all intended cyclone, not knowing whither to turn; to serve as a kind of education—a and it seems to us that Governor Hennecessary discipline to ripen us and wean nessy owes some reparation to the hon. os from the world. So must the Home gentleman for having endeavoured, by Government have regarded this suffer- a daring move, to confuse Mr Ryrie the ing Colony of Hongkong when they Trustee with Mr Ryrie the Committeesent Governor Hennessy to reign over man. It is not at all certain that Mr it. We may look for a harvest of Ryrie was a consenting party to this reward many years hence, seeing that "double shuffle," although the official we reap so much of labour and sorrow correspondence would seem to imply that he and the Governor were in full battle ment once said that he trembled for the array against the Committee. An imprespeople of Hongkong when Mr Pope sion is conveyed by the Colonial Secre-Hennessy was appointed; but this com- tary's letter that Mr Ryrie has been inmunity has almost become accustomed duced to act as holder of the stakes till now to the vagaries of their ruler, and the fight is over; but we have reason to his action is far more provocative of believe that the stakes have not yet been quiet contempt than of serious indigna- | deposited, except in the Treasury vaults. tion. This may seem to be strong With his long experience and thorough language to use in reference to the knowledge of local affairs, it is past tiqually discover himself ranged on doubtful, however, if this temper on the mirers look on at a distance from out part of the public is the one most con- the ranks wherein he was wont to be a ducive to the interests of the Colony, chining light. It is to be hoped although much may be said in its however, that in this case he will not be favour on the ground that what ap- so ill-advised as to set himself at variparently "cannot be cured must be ance with the whole community upon a endured." What may be called the matter that has not about it a single redeeming feature:

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The next French Mary, with dates from London to the 23rd July, may be expected here to-morrow, the 29th inst. on or about the Sist inst., by the Pacific

Mail steemer City of Peking. ORDER OF PRIVIOS AT THE CATHEDRAL FOR THE P VETERNIA BUNDAY AFTER TR BITY. Mating :- Venile, No. 2 Monk ; Paslm. Nos. 167 and 158 Monk; Te Denm, Monk in A 1 Benedictus, No. 88

Monk: Anthem "Arise Klink (Re-catative) and Aris, "O rest in the Lord" (Elijah); Kyrie, No. 2 Mercer 1 Hymn, No. 266 Brensong :- Pasime, Noz. 169 and 160 Magnificate Wesley in F | Nuno Dimittis, Wesley in F; Hymn, No. 180;

Hymn, No. 128. We note to day the arrivat from En land regulation of such on institution, and of Mr A. Falconer, second imaker of the

the free admission of Chinese on certain Government Central School. days and at certain hours had for fully five years been largely availed of by the WE are informed by the Agents (Mersis native community. The objection taken Gibb, Livingston & Ca.) that the S.S. Sopore this afternoon (28th) for this port.

WE are informed by Messrs Adam on, Boll & Oo, that the S.S. Loudoun Castle, from London, will leave Singapore for Hongkong, to-morrow, the 29th inst.

A LONDON telegram of the 7th August informs us that "Sir Hercules Robinson, Governor of New Zealand, has been appointed Governor of Cape Colony."

The passengers from Marseilles for Hongkong by the M. M. Peiho which is due are Messrs Nieburth and Mr Aitken; for Shanghai Monr. Michel, and Mr Liot.

Ws note, from the Indian telegrams we have to hand this evening in advance of the mail, that the Beresford-Maitland case, which has excited considerable interest in this part of the world, has been dismissed, each party to pay his own costs.

To-Monsow morning at half-past 10, the Pastor of the German community will hold Service on board of H.I.G.M.S. Freya instead of in the Barlin Foundling House. Friends are invited, and boats of the Freya will, after 10 o'clock, be at Peddar's Wharf hat V. C. to the 12th Cheshire Rifle for those intending to take part in Service.

Narrya joint-stock enterprise shows itself in running "a large and commodious ateamlaunch from the Ichang Wharf for Aberdeen this afternoon," returning early in the evening. The experiment will be repeated to-morrow. There will no doubt be a large number of those desirous of inspecting the Iron Duke at present in Dock, who will avail themselves of one or other of these opportunities.

Five sailors who were believed to have deserted from an American ship the other day, and taken a trip to Canton, were spotted by Sergt, Campbell, when they arrived here to-day, and brought up to the Central Station. One of the men watching a favourable opportunity managed to throw one of his boots at the Acting Sergeant, who had been the cause of their being caught, and gave him a smart blow on the head. The case will, no doubt, be duly dealt with on Monday.

THE Chinese feast of all-souls is the occasion for a most brilliant "holy-show" in Hollywood Road, amongst our Celestial brethren; some really splendid designs of grotesque and highly-coloured Chinese art figure largely in the exhibition, and there are some pretty fanciful designs of boxwood trimmed into all shapes and conceits. Mon of all nationalities, women and children, beasts, birds and fishes are thus depicted. One wonderful and pretty thing of the sort is the outline of a paddle steamer which is Reuter. - Foschow Berald. we have seen. Thousands of Chinese awarm about the livelong night to the squeak and scream of the National musical instruments. Hundreds of Europeans have also visited the scene of all this gaiety. Some of the groups of moving figures are remarkably interestwoth a visit, a few of which are said to have cost several tens of thousands of dollars. At Canton, the same feast is being celebrated with musical comp and magnidevoted to this special ebulition of "chinchin joss pidgin," which forms so large a part of the daily walk and conversation of John Chinaman and his sisters and his cousing and his aunis.

Wird reference to the Edict pardoning Chang How, the translator of the Mercury points out a slip in the version which appeared in the N. C. D. News, which was that we reproduced. The difference alimportance. It is that instead of the Marimportant matters. Our contemparary adds :--

This significa that Tseng either would or could not begin to negociate until Chung How was released, and this seems to us vory important.

THE Superintendent of the E. E. A. & C. Telegraph Coy. kintly puts us in posses Secretary. sion of the following telegram, received late this evening from Manila :-

Bar, very low; correction 754; 56 mm. 6 5 a.m. 28th, wind 8.8.W.; force 18.8 miles. Dry therm. 26; wet therm. 24.7; looked to, to contribute half as much about the Trustees being ex officio memweather conteren(i) and raining. Typhoon probably raging at North of Luzon.

towards Japan :--

Left Yokohama with fine weather, fresh and then calm till arrival at Hongkong.

His Excellency James B. Angell, the United State Minister, took charge of the Legation at Peking from Mr G. F. Seward on the 16th Instant

seems to drag. The judge before whom the motion should be heard, is taking advantage of the vacation to seek the cool air of the Peak, and Mr Hayllar, Q.C., Counsel for the committee of the Hongkong Club, is in Amoy retained in an important action there connected with an excessive passenger list. When the question is whether a Club is justified in expelling a member guilty of a serious and malicions libel upon another member, delay is, according to the learned Chief-justice of Hongkong "like silence, golden;" but we are mistaken in the feeling that actuates the members of the Club if they permit the law's delay to interfere with their decision which, apart from any technical illegality, has secured the sympathy of all right-minded people. There are offences that the law cannot or will not touch which are properly within the cognigance of Society-of a Court of Honour which in this instance appears to have arrived at a just and entirely righteons decision. -Japan Gazette.

THESE shipping items are from latest Japan

The American ship Susan Gilmore sails to-morrow (12th) for Hoilo, there to lead sugar for New York.—The British barque Ophelia is chartered to load at Cebu for New York.—The American ship Lucile sails for San Francisco on Saturday next with a full cargo of tea and three cabin passengers .-The A1 clipper bark Kaisow is loading for San Francisco.

A CHALLENGE has been sent by the Shang-Volunteers, formarly commanded by Major Holliday, S. V. C., and now commanded by his brother. The range is to be 200, 500, and 600 yards, Wimbledon target, 7 shots, ten men to a team; it has been accepted by telegraph with certain modifications to come by post. The time is to be 13/20 Nov. both days inclusive, thus giving the Manchester corps two Saturday half-holidays.

IT appears that the Kazil-Arvat that General Scobeleff sent a column to occupy was not Kisil-Yart, but a place in the line of operations against the Tekke Turkomans, and does not specially interest us. There are two General Scobeleffs, so altogether the telegrams are occasionally bewildering.-

A very daring raid has been made by about 40 pirates on the village Sai-Kung (about 2 hours sail from the Ly-ee-moon passage). During the night the miscreants attacked a house of a shop-keeper, wounded some of the inmates : but thanks to the assistance from the bost-people in the little barbour and of some villagers the pirates saved themselves only by a quick retreat. The third night about the same number attacked the village again, and were again beaten. Kung is also the residence of some Catholic Missionaries. Our informant tells us that such attacks will be very frequent this year, the fishing having been very poor this season on account of the rainy weather. -- Uatholic Register.

THE home papers report Colonel Prejvalsky -captured by the Chinese. Shangbai paper lately cut off the ears of three Russian captives, the gallant Colonel's presumably among the number. A Tientsin correspondent now reports him alive and well, on the western borders of Kansuh. If his old battered cap, as the Colonel narrates, borrowed by an Alashan prince and mounted upon a stick, proved potent enough to overawe and put to rout the Dungani rebels, it would seem as if the intropid traveller himself should be spared mutilation at the hands of the press and of

as nearly perfect as anything of the kind THE telegram conveying the first news of terms of the Constitution were upon the heard the amendment Mr Coxon prothe capture of the Kelly gang of bushrangers, says The Electrician of July 10, was despatched from Sydney at 12.30 p.m. (Sydney time) on the 28th ult., and reach ed London at 7.88 a.m. (Greenwich time on the same day, and was published in the second edition of The Times on that day. Allowing for the difference of time between ing, and there are other "exhibits" well Sydney and London-Sydney being 10 hours and 5 minutes in advance of Greenwich time—the actual time occupied in transmission was 5 hours and 8 minutes thus enabling events at the Antipodes to be published in the London morning papers on the day of their occurrence. This ficence, several streets being covered in and speaks well for the organisation of the Eastern and Eastern Extension Cable

CITY HALL,

ANNUAL MEETING OF SHARE-HOLDERS AND SUBSCRIBERS.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders in and subscribers to the City Hall was held in the City Hall this afternoon. The Chairman, Hon. W. though at first aight not striking is of some | Keswick, presided, and there were present: the Hon. Justice Snowden, quess Teeng is " now discussing," it should | Hon. P. Ryrie, Messrs H. Hoppius, be the Marquess is "about to discuss" the F. D. Sassoon, D. Ruttonjee, and H. de C. Forbes, members of Committee, and Messrs A. Coxon, W. Danby, H. H. Nelson, T. Jackson, W. K. Hughes, J. B. Coughtrie, J. Jones, J. T. Chater, A. Mackean, R. Starkey, W. Wheeler, W. H. Brereton, R. C. Wilcox, E. Caldwell, E. Beart, H. J. H. Tripp, W. Wotton, S. Hancock, N. J. Ede, W. M. Morgan, and H. L. Dennys,

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved: they contained the record of Hon. Mr Ryrie's opinions that the Government might be fairly and said there was nothing mentioned again to the funds of the Institution and relieve it too of the payment of they were quite independent. THE following two shipping reports tell of was considerable amusement manifested continued severe weather in the north and during the reading of the minutes, change as to elect the Committee anwhich were pretty full, being a tran- nually was that in this correspondence

script of the newspaper report. The French steamer Mensaleh reports: The Chairman said: Gentlemen, the Committee and the Government, the Baron do Cercal of its authoreasterly breeze and high sea till Van Die. report which is in your hands contains Governor, the views held are very men which was passed on the 22nd at 7 40 so full a statement of the entire affairs | diametrically opposed; and the views p m.; thick weather, bar. 799 on the 23rd at of the City Hall, that I have not much expressed by the Governor were as it noon, and 768 at midnight. At 2 a.m. to add to what is set forth in the report. seemed to him put upon the shoulders forth the request of the Baron, to which bar 751 very strong wind and very high The state of the building, it is satis- of one member of the Committee. He may be applied a Portuguese proverbsea from N.E. and N.N.E. At 9 pm. factory to know, can be favourably re- trusted he would not be in any way for peror a amenda que o toneto. As from bar. 792, and at 11 p.m. It was blowing a ported upon. There has always been misunderstood if he had to allude to it may be inferred that there was a discing. at 8 a.m. weather moderated, glass rising. a matter of much enxiety to the Com- one individual. It was forced upon him mittee in the ravages of white-ants and by the fact that there was only one The ship Alice Buck from Hlogo, July 18, the destruction to a building of this member of the Committee who was in rities to quash the proceedings instituted reports that in lat 20,10 N, long, 180 E, size caused by them and also by the bad that position, who was a trustee; it was in consequence of the declaration made in she encountered a heavy gale or cyclone; weather; but, fortunately, the expendito to that member he alluded. If those open Court by Li Tuk-chong, which is not the wind from the W.N.W. W.S.W., and ture, although considerable last year present as shareholders and subscribers fair to said authorities, who, I am sure, passing off to the B. The hurricane lasted and previous years, has been so effected returned on their Committee for the from August lat to 6th 1 on the 3rd and 4th that we may look for less in firture, ensuing year a gentleman in the posi-It blew a terrific hurricage. The bar, down The substitution of iron pillars for tion of a representative and representing upon the good name of the Macae officials wooden ones, and the changes in the the very strong views the Governor Theatre will all enable us to reduce the holds, they would thereby, in his opiexpenditure in future while making the nion, be giving something of a sanction building more durable. The Library has to those views. His opinion was it would

merset, with Australian Mails, leaves Sings- The Pitman injunction case in Hongkong it has been considerably increased and scribers present should have an op- NEWS IN ADVANCE OF THE some of the volumes are of considerable | portunity of electing a Committee now importance. The Museum has been in- and at every year independently, and by creased in attractiveness by additions to their election at any rate show their the collection. In connection with the ratification or otherwise of the line of Museum you will have observed that a conduct taken up by the Committee of very serious misunderstanding exists be- the City Hall. tween the Committee and the Executive. the Governor. The origin of the difference is shown in the first letter addressed to the City Hall Committee. That assumes that the Committee must obey the behests of the Governor in matters connected with the City Hall. It is the first time that the Committee has been so addressed. In all previous communications, when we have had communication with the Governors of this Colony, we have received from from the first to the last, and the last one is the exception, every support and assistance in making this public Institution as beneficial to the community as possible. (Applause). I do not think it is necessary for me to say more on the subject of this misunderstanding as the correspondence is before you. It gives in detail all the correspondence that has of the election of the Committee at these taken place between the Government annual meetings. He had no doubt the and the Committee; and moreover the practice to which he had referred as havon the whole fairly satisfactory, con- of the public at the annual meetings in sidering that the amount due by the Go- sufficient numbers. Occasionally, as he vernment, \$1,200 up to the 30th June last, has not been paid, and we have a balance of \$000 in hand. The receipts from the Theatre have been better than in past years, and now I think the Institution may be considered as fairly self-supporting. With the aid of the 81.200 annual subscription from the

> ing. I beg to move the adoption of Mr A. Coxon seconded the adoption

of the report.

Government we should be able to get on

very well, and add much to the Museum

and increase the usefulness of the build-

The Chairman asked whether any gentleman had anything to say to the Report before it was put to the meeting No one offering any remark, the Re-

port was put and carried ununimously. The Chairman intimated that the members of Committee for the ensuing year, unless it was desired to add some hamo or names, would be Mr Keswick. Chairman, Mr Ryrie, Vice-Chairman, and Mr Snowden, Mr Sassoon, Mr Forbes, Mr Ruttonjee and Mr Hoppius. any member had any new name to proto mention the Committee in this way resign. at these meetings. They were not annually proposed and elected. The Committee elected in 1869 had been uppointed a sort of Standing Committee or had always been taken to be a Standing Committee, with power to add to its number; and usually the names had just been read over, any new name the meeting desired to place on the Committee being added. If any new name were now proposed he should be happy to put it to the meeting and see it added

to the Committee. Mr H. H. Nelson asked what the Was it not possible to elect the posed. Committee annually? Was the Committee elected in 1869 positively elected

a Permanent Committee. The Chairman said it was a practice that had grown up more through custom than from anything in the Constitution. There was nothing in the Constitution about it so far as he knew, but it had been a custom pursued from year to He went on to read from the minutes of the meeting of June 28, 1869, which Mr Pollard defined the duties of the Committee, and gave the same power to add to its number. There was nothing said about the Committee being a Standing or Permanent Committee, nor was it especially set forth in the extract read that the members of Committee, or any proportion of them,

have a Constitution formed. Mr Nelson certainly thought, expres- whether the Chairman had any informasing his individual opinion, that the tion whether that had been done or not. election of the Committee should be an

annual election. was not mistaken, there were not many

more than the Committee. also be informed from the minute books

members of the Committee. The Chairman consulted the minutes pondence, it would go forward, of the earlier history of the Institution bers of the Committee. As Trustees closed the proceedings.

regarded it as desirable to make such a that had taken place between this Masao correspondent and the denial from

The Chairman said it was quite competent for the shareholders and subscribers to appoint another Committee altogether. It was quite open for them now letter is unique in the way in which it to proceed to vote and elect a new Com-

> Mr Nelson asked if the Chairman meant in addition to the Standing Com-

The Chairman said, No. In place of present Committee. He had no doubt that the present Committee was quite prepared to resign-he was quite prepared to place his resignation in the hands of the meeting-the old members to be eligible for re-election.

Mr Ryrie said that, as he was the only person pointed to, it would sufficient for him to resign, which he

would be happy to do. The Chairman said he would approve whole matter has been referred to the ing been observed for many years arose more on the subject. The accounts are | into abeyance through the non-attendance had said, the Committee had been left to re-elect itself. Now that they had so large an attendance it would be satisfactory, it would show whether the Committee had the confidence of the shareholders, were an election held to-day.

Mr Nelson moved that a Committee be now elected for 1820-81. The object he had in view could not be met by the resignation of the Hon. Mr Ryrie. He had endeavoured to explain in what he before said that he had no personal feeling in the matter, and he wished to avoid pointing to any person. But to express what he had to do, he could hardly avoid alluding indirectly to the hon, contleman. He moved that the Committee for the coming year be now elected by ballot.

Mr Ryrie thought it was due to himself to say that his wish was to resign. He had not given so much attention of late years to the affairs of the City Hall as he had done in former years, His labours were most onerous at one time in connection with this Institution. He was at one time the only Committee man left in the Colony. There were pose it could be added. He might point so many men here now so well fitted

Mr Coxon had a few words to say with regard to what had fallen from Mr Nelson, He totally disagreed with the way in which Mr Nelson put the matter before the meeting. If it was Mr. Ryrie's intention to retire from the Committee, he would propose that the Committee of the City Hall be re-elected thanks of this meeting. (Applause.) Ameer. He thought it would be opening the door to future abuses if the Committee were to be appointed annually.

Mr Nelson said he had not fully Mr Coxon said it was this .- Mr

Ryrie having resigned, let us re-elect the Committee and approve of their action and thank them for what they have done. Mr Nelson: It makes it such a personal matter.

Mr Coxon: It's not more personal than your remarks surely, (a laugh). The motion being reduced to writing and handed to Mr Nelson, he withdrew

his motion in favour of it. Mr Coxon's motion was then put to the meeting and carried nem con. The Chairman said there was no fur-

ther business unless any gentleman had something to bring forward. Mr Nelson said there was another point with reference to this same correspondence, on which he might be allowed were to retire every year. That was to ask a question. He saw that a rather all, the Chairman said, that appeared important letter was addressed to Gospecially on this subject. That was at a vernment, dated July 14th, in which shareholders' meeting. It might be it was asked that that letter and the well now, he suggested, in view of the Government letter of the 11th, to which greater importance of the City Hall, to tis a reply, should be forwarded to the Secretary of State. He had to ask

The Chairman said it was taken for granted that the request made in the The Chairman remarked that some- letter of the 14th July would ensure its times it had been very much a matter of being forwarded, with the Colonial the Committee electing itself at the an- Secretary's letter of the 11th June. to nual meeting. At some meetings there | the Secretary of State in the ordinary were only one or two present beside the way. He had asked Mr Dennys to-day, Committee. At the last meeting, if he however, about this matter, and Mr Dennys had written to ask whether it had been so forwarded. To that letter Mr Nelson asked whether he could no reply had yet been received: but he could not doubt for a moment that the whether the Trustees were ex officio letter would be forwarded; according to the ordinary rules governing such correst Mr Nelson: I presume so. It should.

A vote of thanks to the Chairman

Macao.

A correspondent at Macao writes:-I have read both the article from your ship, and I fail to see what there was in the first communication to have called position on the part of the Masso anthowill do their utmost to have the stain cast removed, therefore all impartial men and not hinder the proceedings by parad been added to by a number of volumes; be better that the members and sub- ing them before the public.

FRENCH MAIL.

By the British steamer Lacrtes we have third with 394. Ingapore advices which give us the cream of the telegraphic and other : ews being brought on by the French mail, due tomorrow:-

LONDON TELEGRAMS. London, Aug. 6.-The Times publishes paragraph this morning stating that a him by his removal from the Governorship. thousand men of the Royal Marines are of the Straits Settlements. ordered to Ireland, as disturbances are ex-

In the House of Commons this evening Russo-Chinese difficulty. the Chief Secretary for Ireland, in reply to a question, said that disorders in Irelan ! were not apprehended, and that though of the mails from India and China. troops would occupy the district where agrarian outrages took place they would

only replace drafts agent to India. Mr Giadatone is progressing to convalescence and he will go into the country next week. Probably he will appear in Parliament before the prorogation. Aug. 7 -Lord Claude Hamilton, the

Conservative candidate, was elected yesterday for Liverpool in place of Lord Ramsay, by a large majority, defeating Mr Plimach. London, Aug. 9 .- In the House of Commons this evening the Secretary of State for India, in reply to a question, said that the withdrawal of our forces from Kabul was determined upon long before the defeat of General Burrows. His defeat Secretary of State, and I think, until a in a great measure out of the apathy of does not justify the postponement of our reply from the Secretary of State is re- those who were concerned in the Institu- leaving. Doubtless, arrangements have ceived, it would not be becoming to say tion. The system of election had fallen been made to protect friendly tribes, but not necessarily with Abdul Rahman, with Pak Le Temple. whom we have no formal engagement. Aug. 10.—In the House of Commons this evening a discussion took place relating to the withdrawal of our forces from

Kabul, when Lord Hartington said that military and not political reasons solely destated to the Government that step, and they accepted the responsibility of it. Mesars Carter and Cadenbead, belonging

been murdered in Central Africa. The Earl of Lytton, in reply to an one of the Great Powers of the world.

Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in reply to a question, said that the Enropean concert was fully maintained and it was solely directed to the prevention take up the case. So he and defendant at Wonchow last year, was released on bail of the collapse of Turkey. The disaster returned \$25 to the complainant. The \$2 in Afghanistan had been without influence was spent in chair-hire, &c. on the British policy in the East,

Aug. 11.- A conversation took place in the House of Commons last night on the appointment of General Burrows to command the Giri hk Brigade and his conduct in the late action, when the Secretary of out that it had been customary simply for the position that he might now State promised that the fullest enquiry should be made, and deprecated censure beforehand.

> LATEST INDIAN TELEGRAMS. Kabul, Aug. 3 .- Aziz Khan will accompany General Roberts. The Ameer enters immediately the troops leave; he is send ing supplies of transport animals and will open postal communication with Peshawur. Four lakes will be paid to the Ameer on Wednesday. The fortifications will not and that their action meet with the destroyed. There will be no treaty with

August 6.—Three brigades are ready to Sir F. Roberts, General Gough, and Col. Johnson. Probably other troops will leave four days later.

and Chaman has risen. Communication is

August 6 .- The Ameer is still at Akserai. 2,000 bullocks have reached Sil from Sangan. August 9.-Reports are current that Ayub Khan had been wounded and is since

Camp Beni-Hissar, August 8th, Evening. - The first and third brigades with General Robert's head-quarters, are encamped close to Sangi Nawithte. Sir with General Roberts to the camp and returned the same evening to Sherpur. march from Beni-Hissar to-morrow morn-

Donald Stewart and General Hills rode ing going to Mursai; than ride to Zahida bad, cross the Logar river at two points and concentrate at Zoorghunshah. On nearing Kaudahar efforts will be made to open communication with that post by

Aug. 10.—The brigades left this morning and marched 16 miles. Kandahar Ang. 4.—General Burrows has for using an indecent expression in the lost 20 officers, 1,200 men, and 20 guns The action took 7 hours. Ayab Khan

suffered severely. Aug. 5.—The garrison is able to resist any assault. It is remoured that the Herati and Kabuli troops have quarrelled over their booty, Ayub Khan being wound in quelling the disturbance.

Aug. 6.-Aynb Khan is within six miles The losses were exagerated. There are 1,000 killed and missing, including 400 Europeans and 21 officers. (Press Commissioner's Telegram.)

Grishk. The enemy's force was estimated | labour. at 12,000. Our native infantry separated and fell back in confusion. The enemy pursued to within ten miles of Kandahar. Aug. 7 .- The Pioneer states that 4,000 mules and ponies have started for Kandahar and Quetta. General Primrose's difficulty will be want of water. [Meaning we sappose that yub Khan has cut off the town supply, but there are said to be good wells within the walls. Aug. 12.-The Spin Tanje convoy, bag-

gage and treasure have been plundered. Four Europeans and some sepoys and coolies were killed. Quetta, Aug. 9.—Rumours reach here that 12 British soldiers escaped from Khaskh-i-Nakbud on the day after the battle, but were seized by Ghazis and brought as pisoners to Ayub Khan.

MISCELLANEOUS. New York, Aug. 7 .- Dr Tanner, who announced a disbelief in the medical theories about starvation, declaring he could live 40 days without food, and who began here the self-imposed task on 28th June, completed it to-day, but is emaciated and exhausted. Aug. 9 .- Dr Tanner is rapidly recover-

St. Petersburg, Aug. 4 .- A great incendiary fire has taken place at Nijni Novgorod.

(L. & C. Express, July 23) It is announced that arrangements have

been made for the reinforcement, in case of need, of the China roundrom by the despatch of versels from the East Indies Admirals Hillyar, Rich and Willes have been mentioned as probable au descors should allow the Law to take its course of Vide-Admiral Coots in the China com-The Frolio has arrived at Plymouth and

Hornet at Malta from China.

The China Challenge Cup at Wimbledon was won by Lanark with a score of 409. Renfrew being second with 405, and Devon The decision of the Admiralty Court in

favour of the P. and O. Com; any, in the case of the Khedive and Voorwarts collision, has been reversed on appeal. The Scoretary of State for India has announced that no consideration could be given to the claim of General Caveneth for

redress for alleged injury inflicted upon The latest reports from St. Petersburg

are indicative of a peaceful solution of the forte are being made to ob'ain an alteration in the dates fixed for the arrival

> Police Intelligence. (Before J. J. Francis, Esq.) Aug. 28, 1880.

Cheung Afuk, a servant, was charged with disorderly conduct in trespissing on the premises of the Government by repeatedly | rumour has a hundred tongues and ninetyentering the Government Offices to claim nine of them are untrustworthy. his wages from the complainant. The Magistrate held there was no case whatever against the defendant revealed in

this. Prisoner discharged.

INDECENT BATHING, Leong Aling, for indecent bathing in Kennedy Road on 27th inst., was sentenced to three hours in the stocks in front of the

(Before the Hon. Ng Choy.)

to the Belgian Exploring Expedition, have and taking some property with her, was small attendance of members, the sum of advanced a stage.

address presented to him at Knebworth Hing Street, first floor :- He knew the de- of \$25 was made to him from the Lodge yesterday, said that he was confident it fendant, had known him for about three funds; and absent members will be given only needed perseverance for a few years months. On the 5th moon (June) he the opportunity of following the example in the great system of policy which a brought the complainant to his house. of those who have already subscribed. succession of wise Englishmen had framed Complainant said that her husband had for the government of India in order to turned her out of his house, and that she give India strength and influence to become had no place to live in. She asked witness be employed for the conveyance of soldiers to write a petition for her against her to the north from Yangtaze ports. It is One of Mr Boyd's sons, who was shot husband. She then resided in the top believed that the former steamer will take in Ireland, is dead. Several arrests have floor of the house. Before she came to reside in witness' house, she gave him \$27 In the House of Lords last night, the to engage a lawyer to sue her husband. He handed the money to his friend Way Chuk | Burnett, formerly an examiner in the I.M. Lam, who went to Mr Dennys afterwards. Customs, arrested by the U.S. Consul last Witness learnt that the lawyer refused to | week, charged with the abduction of a nun The case was further remanded till Wed-

> EUROPEAN ROGUE AND VAGABOND. Mathias Heming, German seaman unem-

nesday next.

ployed, was charged with being a rogue and vagabond. George Rogers, P.C. No. 5, said: This stopped by the police. It is expected the morning about 7 o'clock, I and some other police constables went to the hillside about No. 1 Tank, West Point, I saw prisoner washing himself in a stream. There were two others, but they got away. I took him to the German Cousul, but he would have nothing to do with him. He said prisoner had deserted from his ship twice or three tunes in his own country.

seen the prisoner for the last ten days. Un by a third, the "World's Temperance the 26th, I saw him in Wanchai walking Refreshment Rooms." The various fire about. He was speaking to some sampan march and will be under the command of people. Yesterday I saw him again. Ho were a very short time in extinguishing the was wandering about doing nothing.

Defendant states: I am a seaman. The Quetta country between Kandahar Wagara, last Tuesday week. I was take his feet were burnt slightly; another boy n back to the shipping master, Petersen, is reported missing. Mr Hintz was forlast Saturday. I ran away again on Monday at 5,30 a.m., and have been on shore since. During the day time I walk about, and in the night I sleep on the grass on the hill side. I ask soldiers for bread and they give it ms. I have no means of anhaistence at present. Convicted as a rogue and vagabond and

> sent to gaol for one month. ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF OPIUM. Wong Ahi, master of the Hi Hop barber's shop, was fined \$10 for selling opinm without a license, in default three weeks' imprisonment, the opium found in his possession, two balls of raw opium and a small

bone box containing prepared opium, to go o the Farmer. CONTEMPT OF COURT. Wong Aki, the defendant in the previous case, was fined \$2 for contempt of Court

presence of the sitting Magistrate.

PATTY LABORNY Chan Ayim, a coolie, was fined \$5, with the alternative of ten days' Imprisonment with hard labour, for stealing a piece of wood the property of complainant, value 15 cents.

Chan Ayau, a coolie, for assaulting Leung Akin, a shop coolie, and attempting Allahabad, Aug. 5 .- The Kandahar en- snatch a bag from him containing \$4.20 on gagement took place ten miles above the 25th, was sentenced to six months' hard

> Ching Alal, 26, of Heung Shan, blacksmith, Liu Tin, 28, of Hongkong, and Lai and troublesome in Hamogori, not hesita-Atsoi, 17, of Macao, single women, were charged by W. Horton, assistant Inspector and cattle and dogs are entirely at the of Brothels, the first with keeping an unlicensed brothel, and the other two with being found in the said unlicensed brothel for the purpose of prostitution. At the desire of the defendants the case | go into dock at Yokosuka.

> pital Ship, where I saw Corporal Ramsay. wonder what Japan thinks of Korea; or He made a statement to me, and in conse- what Koren will think of Japan. quonce I went and laid an information before the Acting Registrar General. By his Hakodate this morning, (10th) will proceed authority I went up to the first floor of to Nagasaki in the course of a few days for house No. 24, Queen's Road East, this the purpose of going into dock for general morning, and arrested the second and third repairs. The Modeste came to Yokohama defendants in the house. The first defend nearly twelve months ago in order to be ant was arrested in the a reet, by Inspector | docked at Yokosaka, but the dock had a Les. I charge the first defendant with vessel on the slip then, and has never been keeping an unlicensed brothel, and the free since. second and third defendants with being inmates thereof. I have the sanction of the stant, a fire broke out in Niighta, and desegistrar deneral to prosecute them, troyed five thousand houses, including the (Written authority pur lu.) I produce a koncho and district office. true extract from the householder's register I this house. The first defendant is the Thursday morning (19th) for Nagasaki. registered tenant of the first floor.

> Joseph Cassady, a private of the 27th Regiment, gave evidence which went to the Chartered Mercantile Bank's branch in show the character of the house and its this place, has left London to return to ball in \$200, the females \$50 each.

remarked,-" This is Saturday, you know."

China. FOOCHOW.

(H.rald, August 19.) The Imperial German Consul at Amoy is shortly expected to visit Foothow. His Honour Cheng Sen, lately in charge of the Kien Your magistracy, has been transferred to the Foochow (Min) District. The community will be sorry to learn that Mrs. Osgood is suffering from severe nervous prostration owing to the sad ex-

periences of the past week. It is said that the Foochow garrison is to be reinforced by several thousand braves from a central province, and that other preparations would be made were counsels more united and the provincial exchequer better supplied.

H. E. the Governor-General of Fokien and Cheklang has, we hear, been continued in his present post for another term, and has been excused from going up to Court to ask for audience, a visit customary at the end of each three years term of office. H. E. Tae'ng Kuo-chuap, Governor of Shansi during the famine, has been called to Peking to audience, and rumour is busy assigning him a new and more responsible provincial appointment, -in Chihli: but

BHANGHAI.

(Neres.) We understand that on Saturday mornlog, a part of the Hongkew Wharf, a little distance below the M. M. Co.'s steamer Anadyr, gave way under a considerable quantity of cargo that was piled there. consisting chiefly of bags of sugar. The number of bags which were precipitated

into the water is about 350. It will be remembered that on Sunday morning (22nd) the " World" Temperanes Refreshment Rooms on Broadway, Hong-The case in which Leung Aman is kew, were burnt with two other houses. charged with obtaining money under false | The place was established under the auspices pretences, by making false representations of the "Shanghai Lodge No. 4," I.O.G. T. to a woman about her husband petitioning At the meeting of the Lodge last night against her for running away with another | 23rd, although there was a comparatively \$39 was raised in the room for the assist-Lo Wal Chan, school master No. 5 Wing ance of the proprietor, and a further grant

We understand that the C.M.S.N. Co.'s steamer Leevuen and Haean are about to troops from Hankow to Newshwang.

We are informed that on the application of his Counsel, Mr J. J. Henderson, J. H. pending the preparations for a new trial of the case at Ningpo. The bail consisted of a money deposit.

(Mercury.) We find the age of duelling is not past two fiery Teutons had a quarrel, and had arranged a duel; they were going out with pistol-cases for two, and hot coffee for one at the Bellevue Hotel, when they were case will come into the German Consular

We hear that five of the China Merchants

Steamers are to proceed to Hankow to take troops to Newchwang. At about 8.10 yesterday morning a fire broke out in a lodging-house situated in the Broadway, kept by Mr Hintz, a German subject; in a very short time the next Charles Bard, P.C. No. 4, said: I have bouse had caught, an opium shop, followed engines were quickly on the spot, and they flames. We regret to state that a Chine boy lost his life. He was evidently ran away from my ship-German barque, suffocated, as only one hand and one of

> tunately covered by insuranca. The News makes the following comments on this fire :- "Many persons present at the fire commented on the apparent absence of furniture in the house, and it is stated that the debris is now remarkably free from remains of such property. We are informed that an insurance was effected on the house

> a few days since." The Mercantile Marine Institution, we are informed, is progressing favourably about 40 members having already joined. and as soon as circulars are issued as many more are expected.

Japan.

YOROHAMA. (Gozetie.) A Japanese who has recently arrived in the capital from Hakodate, states that Christianity is gradually gaining influence among the people in that locality and that the number of believers is constantly increasing in the vicinity of Sapporo.

During his recent tour of inspection through the provinces, the Minister for Education, Mr Kawano, is said to have been greatly impressed with the advantages likely to result from the establishment of a free educational system, and has appointed a committee to enquire into the practicability of such a scheme and to compare it with the educational system now in

The Nichi Nichi Shinban says that the circumference of Fusiyama at the base is fifty-five vi ten cho, which is about equal to one hundred and thirty-eight English

It is reported that the province of Sado. has recently become so infested with wolves that the lives of the people are often in great peril. They are particularly bold ting to attack even a large body of men: mercy of the ravenous boasts. We regret to find that the Champlain sustained such damage in assisting the Iron Duke, that it is necessary for her to

W. Horton, sworn: On the 25th instant | day (10th). Some preparations are making I went on board the Mecanes, Station Hos- for his reception on a scale that makes us H. M. S. Modeste, which arrived from

The envoy from Korea is expected to

At 12.80 on the morning of the 8th in-H.B.M.S. Vij lant will leave here on

and from there will proceed to Foochow. Mr L. C. Masfen, the former manager of Yokohama, as the directors have determined The case was remanded till Monday, at to carry on business again in this place. 9.30. 'he first defendan' was admitted to It is said that fresh powers have been given to Mr Masten of an extended and elastic A sub putes was issued for the appearance nature to enable him to compete upon an on Monday, of a witness who is now in hos- equality with the banking institutions alnital, and another witness now present was ready established or to be established here. told to come again on Monday. It was now In our judgment it was a serious oversight already two o'cor, and the Magistrate to close the branch of the Chartered Mercantile Bank et all.

CORRESPONDENCE AS TO ADMISSION TO THE CITY HALL MUSEUM. The following Correspondence is printed as an appendix to the Report of the City Hall

Committee, just issued :-

November last and that your letter of the No. 1143. Colonial Secretary's Office, 19th September referring to the admission of Hongkong, 19th September, 1879. Chinese and other visitors to the Museum, SIR,-I am directed to draw your attentogether with the other correspondence relation to the Notice regarding the admission ting to this subject was then considered upon of Europeans and Chinese to the City Hall Museum, a copy of which has been placed in His Excellency's hands, and I am to express His Excellency's hope that the distinction which it shows to exist in the opportunities afforded to Europeans and Asi aties of visiting the Museum on all days of the week alike, may be discontinued. His Excellency will otherwise find it necessary to discontinue the annual grant of \$1,200 at present allowed by the Government to the City Hall.

I have the honour to be, Your most obedient Servant, W. H. MARSH, Colonial Secretary.

H. L. DENNYS, Esq., City Hall Museum.

City Hall, Hongkong, at the following times :-September 30th, 1879. SIR.-I have the honour to acknowledge Chinese from 10 a.m. till 1 p.m. your communication dated the 19th September instant. In reply I am directed to inform you that the matter therein referred to Children only irom 10 a.m. till 1 p.m. will be discussed at the Committee Meeting fixed for Tuesday next. I have the honor to be,

Your most obedient Servant, H. L. DENNYS, Secretary.

The Hon, W. H. MARSH, Colonial Sceretary, &c.,

City Hall, Hongkong,

SIE,-I have the honour to inform you 4 that your despatch of the 19th September referring to the notices posted at the City Hall Museum about the admission of Chinese and Foreign visitors, was laid before the Committee of this Institution at their monthly meeting held on the 7th instant.

2. I am directed to state that the Committee extremely regret the concluding paragraph of your letter, but that, having 本 very fully considered the point raised by His Excellency the Governor, they are unable, notwithstanding the alternative, to see any reason to alter a regulation which was eriginally framed in the best interests of both classes of visitors and which has worked most satisfactorily for a period of over five

3. The Committee cannot avoid the conclusion that His Excellency has entirely misapprehended both the intention and practical working of the rule in question, which, though worded as if a hard and fast line were observed between differing nationalities, is in reality only availed of to prevent collisions between the lower classes of Chinese and the answering struta of Europeans.

4. It was further found that to sllow the female portion of the Chinese community to visit the museum it was necessary to entirely exclude both European and Chinese male visitors on one morning in each week; and although this has been objected to as unduly favouring the native community it has been found on the whole to work well. 5. The proportion of Foreign to Chinese

visitors is as I to 7, but the funds from which the building was creeted ut a cost of \$96,000 (besides subsequent repairs making in the whole about \$100,000) were exclusively provided by the European, American and Parsee inhabitants of the Colony. library and museum have, moreover, been almost entirely formed from the voluntary gifts of the foreign (as opposed to the Chinese) community. A subscription of about \$4,500 represents the total aid of the latter towards a building which with its contents may be roughly estimated as worth about \$150,000, to which must be added a long term of insurance premia. In consideration of the grant in aid of \$1,200 per annum from the Government the Committee threw the entire building open to both foreigners and Chinese alike, reserving to themselves simply the right of making such regulations as would best avoid collisions between the rougher members of each section. Should that grant be withdrawn the museum and library would in all probability have to be closed, the rooms reverting to their original status as a portion of the suite to be used for public assemblies.

Honorable Phiness Ryrie who the Governor 6. The Committee would like to state tha before issning the notice as to the admislony in whom the legal estate is vested. sion of visitors to the museum several of the leading members of the Chinese community were consulted and asked to suggest any alteration that might suit their convenience better. A few suggestions were made and attended to by the Committee, but the Chinese then approved, and so far as the Committee are aware have always been quite contented with, the rules that were then

7. Under the circumstances the Committee trust that His Excellency will perceive that he has been under a misapprehension as to the feeling of the Chinese residents on the subject, and as they would like the highest sanction to be given to the continuance of the grant from the Colonial Government they would request that this correspondence be forwarded for the information of the Secretary of State.

I have the honour to be, Your most obedient Servant, H. L. DENNYS.

Secretary. The Hon. W. H. MARSH,

Colonial Secretary, \$0., \$c., \$c.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 27th October, 1819. SIR,-I laid before His Excellency the Governor, the letter in which the Committee of the City Hall request that the correspondence respecting the distinction made by the Committee between Europeans and Chinese in admission to the Museum, may be forwarded to the Secretary of State. 2. I am to inform you that the request of

the Committee has been duly complied I have the honor to be, Your most obedient Servant,

W. H. MARSH, Colonial Secretary. The Hon. WM. KEBWICK,

Chairman of the Committee of the City Hall.

(A Basis of Settlement of the questions that had arisen was in October submitted to the Committee, and in accordance therewith a Special Meeting of the Committee, they associating with themselves the Chief Justice and the Bishop, was held on the 1st December. The particulars referring to this will be found more fully explained in the despatch to the Earl of Kimberley sent to the Colonial Secretary on the 13th May .-See post.)

the Covernor to refer you to my letter No. 35 of the 10th January, 1880. I have the honor to be,

Hongkong, 27th December, 1879.

Sra,-I am directed to inform you that a

meeting of the City Hall Committee, His

Honour the Chief Justice and His Lordship

the Right Reverend Bishop Burdon being

associated with them, took place on the 27th

copies of which I am instructed to forward,

that they may be placed officially on record.

(Copy enclosure.)

NOTICE.

respectably dressed and well behaved people

The City Hall Museum is open free to all

On week days (Saturday excepted) to

On week days to other nationalities from

On Saturdays to Chinese Women and

Any respectable person of whatever na-

tionality can at all times (except on Satur-

day morning) visit the Museum upon making

special application to the person in charge.

The Museum will be closed on Sunday.

By Order,

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Governor on the 9th of January.

has been voted to the City Hall.

I have the honor to be,

H. L. DENNYS, Esq.,

&o., &o.,

Colonial Secretary's Office.

Hongkong, 10th January 1880.

Sin, - I have the honor to acknowledge

His Excellency directs me to inform you

that he cannot approve of the notice re-

specting admission to the City Hall Museum

dated 1st December 1879 (which he has now

seen for the first time) as it makes a dis-

tinction between individuals of the Chinese

race and other nationalities, and is a viola-

tion of the conditions on which public money

Pending however the ultimate decision

the Government on the subject, I am to ac-

quaint you that, for the present, the allow-

unce to the City Hall will be paid to the

is advised is the only gentleman in the Co-

Your most obedient servant,

receipt of your letter of 10th instant in

which you inform me that His Excellency

the Governor cannot approve of the notice

respecting admission to the City Hall Mu-

soum and that for the present the allowance

to the City Hall will be paid to the Henor-

Excellency and the Committee.

be paid over to him.

I have the honor to be,

The Hon. W. H. MARSH,

Colonial Secretary,

contained can be complied with.

To the Hon. W. H. MARSH,

Colonial Secretary.

Sir. Your most obedient Servant,

I have the honor to be,

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Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) H. L DENNYS,

Hongkong, March 8th, 1880.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Sin,-In reply to your letter of the 8th

instant, I am directed by His Excellency

Hongkong, 12th March, 1880.

Secretary.

H. L. DENNYS,

Secretary.

W. H. MARSH,

30th January, 1880.

City Hall, Hongkong,

Colonial Secretary.

the receipt on the 29th of December 1879

Hongkong, December 1st, 1879.

Your most obedient Bervant,

H. L. DENNYS,

Secretary.

L. DENNYS,

I have the honour to be.

City Hall Committee.

Hon. W. H. MARSH,

Colonial Secretary.

Your most obedient Servant, W. H. MARSH. Colonial Secretary. H. L. DENNYS, Esq.

Hongkong, 13th Mar, 1880. SIR, -- Herewith I have the honor to forthe basis of settlement mutually agreed to ward in triplicate a despatch addressed to by His Excellency the Governor and the Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State For the Colonies and should feel obliged if After very fully discussing the whole His Excellency the Governor would be kind question of admission to the Museum, new enough to have the same forwarded by the rules were agreed to by the meeting, two first opportunity.

I have the honour to be,

Your most obedient Servant, W. KESWICK, Chairman.

Hon. F. STEWART, Acting Colonial, Secretary, ge, de, de.

City Hall, Hongkong, 13th May, 1880. To the Right Honourable

THE EARL OF KIMBERLEY, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies,

My LORD,-The Committee of this Institution beg respectfully to call your attention to a question that has arisen between themselves and His Excellency the Governor of your Lordship's predecessor the Committee this Colony with reference to the Annual do not feel justified in further troubling Grant given by the local Government in aid Your Lordship with the same, but they of the City Hall.

order to enable the Committee to obtain the come to upon the basis of settlement reservices of a Librarian and Curator for the ferred to they would have felt bound by it Public Library and Museum in the lower portion of the building, the only condition being that the Library and Museum should be open to the public free.

Some years were spent in getting the of settling the difficulty that had arisen. Library and Museum into order, and it was not until the year 1875 that the Chinese Community attended or took any special interest in the Museum.

Finding then that the Chinese Community flocked to the Museum in very large numbers and thus prevented Europeans attending as often as they otherwise would, and also to prevent any collision between the lower classes of Chinese and Europeans, the Committee deemed it expedient to frame certain rules as to the admission of visitors to the Museum and set apart the mornings of the week days for the Chinese and the afternoons for the Europeans and other non-Chinese inhabitants.

On the 19th September 1879, His Excellenoy the Governor called the attention of the Committee to the existing rules for admission to the Museum. In reply they pointed out that the rules were made after consulting with many of the leading Chinese of the Colony, that they had never known with. them complained of in any way by the Chinese themselves and that they had been framed in the interests of all parties, Chinese and non-Chinese slike. They further pointed out to His Excellency that the regulation as to admission was not a hard and inflexible rule but was intended to be one that could be appealed to and enforced should

occasion require. A basis of settlement of the dispute be- No. 654. tween the Committee and His Excellency was then privately submitted to the Committee, which run in the following words:-"The Committee will be ready to meet and associate with them the Bishop and the Chief Justice in order to discuss the ques-

(1.) Of amending the existing rules for admission to the museum if after full discussion amendment is thought necessary, (2.) Whether any departure from the original understanding with the Government us to the conditions of admission to the publie has taken place,

The common basis being that everything will be done that can be done for the common interest of all classes of the communiof your letter of the 27th of that month ty."

This proposition was laid before His Exwhich I duly laid before His Excellency the cellency the Governor who stated his readi- No. 633. ness to accept the same but suggested as an addition the words "ask Governor to reconsider his avowed intention of not putting the vote upon the estimates for 1880.

The Committee did not consider the addition advisable but agreed to the original busis of settlement, and on the 1st December 1879 a special Meeting was called at which all the members of the Committee. together with His Honor the Chief Justice and the Right Reverend Bishop Burdon,

At this meeting the question was discussed in all ils bearings, and new rules were decided upon by the majority of those present, the Bishop, who has resided for many years amongst the Chinese and has a thorough knowledge of their language, customs and feelings, being one of those who supported

the new regulations. After deciding upon these new rules it was unanimously decided by those present at the meeting that it was unnecessary to consider the second article of the basis of settlement. A copy of the new regulations agreed upon at the meeting is enclosed for your informa-

SIR,-I have the honor to acknowledge tion. A copy of these new rules was forwarded Colonial Secretary, a copy of the covering wise than under Mr. Ryrie's control and to His Excellency the Governor through the letter dated the 27th December 1879, being direction. also enclosed herein.

On the 10th January 1830, a letter was received from the Honorable the Colonia In reply I am directed to inform you that | Secretary stating that His Excellency could the Committee regret that His Excellency | not approve of the new rules for admission should object to the notice referred to after and stating that in future the Government its having been fully considered, discussed Grant to the City Hall would be paid to and framed upon the basis of settlement Mr. Ryrie. A copy of this letter is also en-

mutually agreed to as binding upon His closed herewith, It having been the custom to apply for the Government Grant every six months, and the They would further respectfully point out that the only person authorised to receive amount due up to the 31st December having this money on behalf of the City Hall is not yet been paid, on the 30th January last the Honorary Treasurer, Mr F. D. Sassoon, the Secretary of the City Hall wrote to the and would suggest that as he has calculated | Colonial Secretary asking that the amount upon the receipt of the Government grant already due should be paid over to Mr. F. due for the six months expiring on the 31st D. Sassoon, the Honorary Treasurer of the

December last that this sum of \$600 should City Hall. The only reply to this last letter was one received from the Colonial Secretary on the 12th March last, a copy of which is bent

herewith.

The Committee have never authorised Mr. Ryrie to receive the Government Grant, nor do they consider that his position of Trustee entitles him to do so. They have not been informed whether any money has actually been paid by the Government to Mr. Ryrie but the latter has not communicated with the Treasurer or in any way placed the SIR, -I am directed by the Committee of money at the disposal of the Committee; on this Institution to call to your notice my the other hand he has stated that he cannot acknowledge your letter of the 11th June letter dated the 30th of January last, and to pay over the Government Grant unless the addressed to the Hon. W. Keswick, the rules as to admission and other matters con- Chairman, in which you state that provision enquire whether you would kindly inform nected with the management of the building has been made in the Estimates for the usual me as to whether the suggestion therein meet with the approval of the Governor. grant to the City Hall in 1880. The last sum of \$600 received by the Honorary Treasurer was for the six months the Committee are aware no money has been

paid to any one authorized by them to receive it since that time. Excellency, finding apparently that the de- to the management of the Institution,

cision was not in accordance with his own

the usual way. out that the only person authorised to re- apart the whole of certain days in the week ceive this money on behalf of the Committee | for Europeans and other whole days for the is the Honorary Treasurer, who has been Chinese, instead of allowing both to attend calculating upon this sum in his monthly daily, the Chinese in the mornings and Eudisbursements on account of the City Hall repeans in the afternoons. The whole quesand that the Trustees (in whom the ground tion of admission to the Museum was disas such Trustees, have no control over the majority, at the Special Meeting held on the

The Trustees, of whom there were origin- meeting the Chief Justice and the Bishop ally three appointed and of whom one has were present. been dead and another absent from the Colony for many years, have never hitherto visitors were agreed to, no difference has claimed nor have they ever exercised any arisen between Mr. Ryrie and the rest of control over the working of the Institution the Committee, and the latter regret that nor was it ever contemplated that they they are unable to adopt the suggestion made should have; and Mr. Ryrie therefore as a in the 4th paragraph of your letter. Trustee has no voice whatever in the making

one of themselves. As the correspondence between the Committee and the Government up to the 13th October 1879 has already been forwarded to would respectfully urge that directions When the Institution was opened in 1869 should be given for the continuance of the grant of \$100 per month was given in Government Grant as whatever the decision and they would not have consented to consider the matter in the way they did but for the expression of His Excellency the Governor's willingness to accode to this mode I have the honour to be,

Your Lordship's Most offedient humble Servant, W. KESWICK, Chairman.

Hongkong, June 4th, 1880. SIR,-I am directed by the Committee of this Institution to ask whether any despatch has been received by the Covernment here from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies with refer ence to the correspondence between His Excellency the Governor and the Committee forwarded home in October last, and, if there has been, to enquire whether you are at liberty to furnish the Committee with a copy thereof. I am further directed to ask whether the request contained in the Chairman's letter to you of the 13th May last, has been complied

> I have the honour to be, Your most obedient Servant, H. L. DENNYS, Secretary.

Hon. F. STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary, de., de., de.

Colonial Scoretary's Office, Hongkong, 11th June, 1880. Sin,-I am directed by His Excellency the

Governor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 4th instant, and, in roply, to refer you to a letter that has been written to the Hon. W. Keswick, Chairman of the City Hall Committee, of to-day's date.

I have the hener to he. Your most obedient Servant, (Sd.) FREDERICK STEWART, · Acting Colonial Secretary.

L. DEKNYS, Esq., Secretary. City Hall.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, Sin,-1. I am directed by the Governor to

inform you that your despatch will be duly transmitted to the Secretary of State. 2. I am further to say that His Excelleney has no intention of withdrawing the usual grant for the City Hall for the year 1880, and that provision for the same was duly made in the estimates. But the Governor is advised that the legal estate under the lease for the City Hall is vested in Mr. Ryrie, who is the sole surviving lessee, and who stands also in the position of a trustee for the purposes for which the lease was

granted by the Government. 3. Under these circumstances, His Excellency is of opinion that, pending the settlement of certain questions at issue between Mr. Ryrie and some members of the Committee as to the management of the institution, the proper course is to cause the Government grant-in-aid to be paid into the hands of the gentleman who appears to be in point of law responsible for its proper application; the more so because His Excellence is not aware of any authority under which the Committee could assume to manage the institution, or to expend the grant, other-

upon which a difference of opinion prevails between Mr. Ryrie and other members of the Committee, as to which His Excellences has already expressed his concurrence with Mr. Ryrie's view, the Governor desires me to say that he is authorized by the Secretary of State to suggest the possibility of trying the free opening of the museum for a period, say, of six months, with the option of reverting either wholly or in part to the existing arrangements, if the proposed change should be found to cause annoyance or inconveni-In doing so, I am to express the hope of His Excellency that the Committee will see its way to the adoption of the suggestion, and so remove all causes of difference between themselves and the Trustee.

I have the honor to be, Your most obedient servant. FREDERICK STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary.

The Hon, W. KESWICK, Chairman, City Hall Committee,

Hongkong, 14th July, 1880. SIR,-I am directed by the Committee to With reference to the 3rd paragraph of

your letter, in which you state that His ending the 30th June 1879, and as far as Excellency the Governor is of opinion that "pending the settlement of certain questions at issue between Mr. Ryrie and some members of the Committee as to the manage-In agreeing to the basis of settlement re- ment of the institution," the grant should ferred to above, the Committee did so with be paid into Mr. Ryrie's hands, I am inthe distinct understanding that His Excel- structed to point out that His Excellency lency the Governor would himself feel bound appears to be under a misapprehension, as by the decision of the majority present at there is no question now pending between the meeting, but regret to find that His Mr. Ryrie and the rest of the Committee as

With regard to certain questions raised by views on the matter, has refused to continue His Excellency at the end of last year Mr. the payment of the Government Grant in Ryrie's views did not coincide with those held by his co-committee-men, he having The Committee would respectfully point seconded a resolution which would have set was vested in order to prevent its alienation) cussed very fully and finally settled by a Institution, the regulation of which has lat December, 1879, in accordance with the always been wholly in the hands of the Com- understanding come to between His Excellency and the Committee, and at which

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The new regulations were so fully consiof such rules for the regulation and control | dered, and the majority was so clearly in of the building as the Committee may con- favour of them, that the Committee are unsider necessary. As a member of the Com- able to see that any useful end would be mittee Mr. Ryrie has an equal voice with served by trying the experiment suggested, the other members of the Committee, but and would ask that the despatch to the the other members of the Committee con- Secretary of State sent to the Government sider that he is bound by the vote of the on the 13th of May last, if still in His Exthe principal places of Europe. majority in precisely the same way as any cellency's hands, should be forwarded at once, together with copies of your letter of the 11th June and of this reply.

I have the honour to be, Your most obedient Servant. (Sd.) H. L. DENNYS, Secretary.

Hon. F. STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary, 80., 80., 80.

Hongkong, 4th August, 1880, SIR,-I am directed by the Committee of the City Hall to ask if you would kindly inform them whether their despatch addressed to the Secretary of State cent to you on the 13th May last has yet been

forwarded. I have the honour to be,

Your most obedient Servant. . II. L. DENNYS, Secretary.

To the Hon. F. STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary, \$c., \$c., \$c.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 10th August, 1880. Sca,-In reply to your letter of the 4th instant, I have the honor to inform you that the letter of the 13th May has been forwarded to the Earl of Kimberley.

I have the honor to be, Your most obedient Servant. (8d.) FREDERICK STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary.

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-THE SHANGHAI CENSUS.

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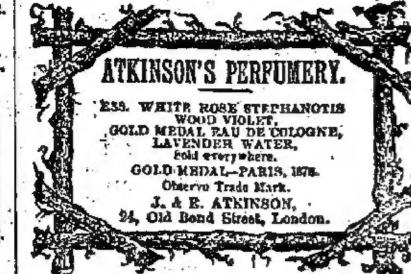
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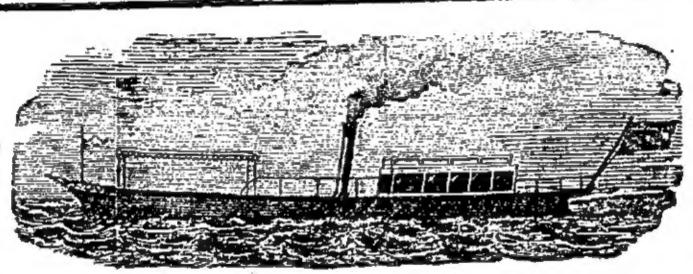
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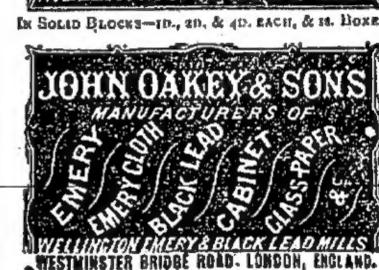
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